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## ALSTEAD PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING PLANNED RECONSTRUCTION OF 4 MILES OF NH 123

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces a combined Public Officials/Public Informational Meeting will be held Tuesday, April 4, 2006 in Alstead to discuss the planned reconstruction of approximately four-miles of NH Route 123 that was heavily damaged by flooding in October 2005.

This project begins on NH 123 at the Lake Warren Dam and extends westerly to just past NH 123-A. It also includes the reconstruction of NH 123-A from Vilas Pool Dam south to NH 123 and the rehabilitation of the bridge carrying NH 123/12-A over Cold River adjacent to Millot Green.

The purpose of this meeting is to present citizens and public officials with information regarding the proposed project, and to solicit input in order to ensure that project decisions meet public transportation needs and community goals, and protect and enhance the environment.

The April 4 public meeting will be held at the Vilas Junior High School, 58 Mechanic Street in Alstead, New Hampshire, beginning at 7:00 pm.

Any individuals needing assistance or auxiliary communications equipment due to sensory impairment or other disability, should contact William Janelle at the NHDOT's Bureau of Right-of-Way, P.O. Box 483, Concord, NH 03302-0483 - TDD Access: Relay NH 1-800-735-2964. Notification of the need for assistance must be made no later than March 28, 2006.